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In re Patent Application of:

Keiichi Kimura et al.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.312 AFTER ALLOWANCE BUT BEFORE PAYMENT OF THE ISSUE FEE

MS Issue Fee Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Subsequent to the Notice of Allowance of June 13, 2005, but before payment of the issue fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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AMENDMENTS TO THE TITLE

Please amend the title as set forth below in marked-up form:

POLISHING METHOD AND POLISHING APPARATUS